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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: New U.S. Patent Application
Title: BRUSH AND METHOD OF MAKING BRUSH
Inventor: **Jean-Louis H. GUERET** - 27 avenue Raymond Poincaré
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 69 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 11 independent claims and 297 claims total.
2. Drawings - 11 sheets of formal drawings containing Figs. 1-2, Figs. 3-3A, Figs. 4-7, Figs. 8-13, Figs. 14-19, Figs. 20-24, Figs. 25-28, Figs. 29-32, Figs. 33-36, Figs. 37-40, Figs. 41-43, Figs. 44-48, and Figs. 49-51.
3. Information Data Sheet (2 pgs.).
4. Claim for Priority/Certified copy of French Patent Application No. 01 02798, filed March 1, 2001.
5. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee						\$ 740.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	297	-	20	277	X \$ 18	\$ 4,986.00
Independent Claims	11	-	3	8	X \$ 84	\$ 672.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					+ \$ 280	= 0.00
					Subtotal	\$ 6,398.00
					Reduction by ½ if Small Entity	- 0.00
					TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE	\$ 6,398.00

7. A check for \$ 6,398.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

\$ 740.00 filing fee; and
\$ 5,658.00 additional claims fee.

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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and (f).
Applicant awaits notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for
filing the executed Declaration.

Please accord this application an application number and a filing date.

Table 1. Demographic characteristics of the study population	
Age (years)	65.5 ± 1.2
Gender (male/female)	102/108
Education (years)	12.5 ± 0.5
Marital status (married/divorced/widowed)	150/30/20
Occupation (retired/employed)	150/30
Income (€ per month)	1,200 ± 100
Comorbidities (hypertension/diabetes/cholesterol)	120/40/60
Medication (antidepressants/antipsychotics)	80/20
Alcohol consumption (g/day)	20 ± 10
Smoking status (smoker/non-smoker)	30/170
Family history (depression/schizophrenia)	40/10
Previous hospitalizations (yes/no)	50/150
Current symptoms (anxiety/depression)	100/100
Functional status (independent/dependent)	120/80
Quality of life (SF-36 score)	45 ± 5
Healthcare utilization (visits/year)	3.5 ± 1.0
Health insurance (public/private)	150/30
Religious beliefs (strong/weak)	100/100
Social support (strong/weak)	120/80
Stress levels (high/low)	80/120
Life satisfaction (satisfied/dissatisfied)	100/100
Overall health (good/poor)	120/80
Physical activity (regular/irregular)	50/150
Dietary habits (healthy/unhealthy)	100/100
Sleep patterns (regular/irregular)	120/80
Emotional stability (stable/unstable)	100/100
Resilience (high/low)	120/80
Perceived stress (high/low)	80/120
Life expectancy (years)	15.5 ± 1.0
Healthcare costs (€ per year)	1,500 ± 200
Healthcare satisfaction (satisfied/dissatisfied)	100/100
Healthcare access (easy/difficult)	120/80
Healthcare quality (good/poor)	100/100
Healthcare safety (safe/unsafe)	120/80
Healthcare effectiveness (effective/ineffective)	100/100
Healthcare equity (equitable/unequitable)	120/80
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